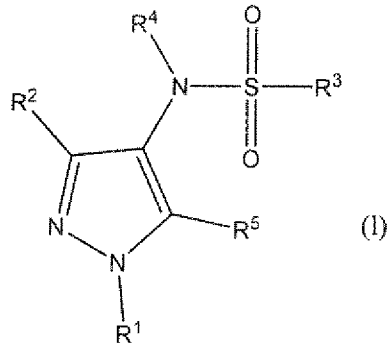
CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. (Currently amended) A compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically, veterinarily or agriculturally acceptable salt ~~or solvate~~ thereof,



(I)

wherein:

R^1 is phenyl optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, cyano, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, $-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$alkyl, $-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$haloalkyl and pentafluorothio;

R^2 is cyano, ~~nitro, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, C_{2-6} alkynyl, C_{2-6} haloalkynyl, $-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$haloalkyl, (C_{0-3}alkylene) C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, optionally substituted by C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, optionally substituted by C_{1-6} alkoxy, phenyl, het, (C_{0-3}alkylene)$N(R^a)R^b$, (C_{0-3}alkylene) $C(O)NR^aR^b$ or (C_{0-3}alkylene) $N(R^e)C(O)R^6$~~;

R^3 is C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, or ~~C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, (C_{0-3}alkylene) C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, (C_{1-3}alkylene) $S(O)_nC_{1-6}$alkyl, (C_{1-3}alkylene) $S(O)_nC_{1-6}$haloalkyl, (C_{0-3}alkylene) $N(R^a)R^b$,~~ -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-phenyl;

R^4 is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-R^7 or -(C_{1-3}alkylene)-R^8;

~~or R^3 and R^4 taken together with the nitrogen and sulphur atoms to which they are attached form a 4 to 7 membered ring;~~

R^5 is hydrogen, ~~hydroxy, halo, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, $-N=C(R^{10})(C_{0-5}$alkylene) R^{11} or $-N(R^{12})R^{13}$~~;

R^6 is C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{1-6} haloalkyl;

R^7 is C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, $-S(O)_nR^9$, phenyl, het, $-CO_2R^6$ or $C(O)N(R^a)R^b$;

R^8 is hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, cyano, $-N(R^a)R^b$ or $-O-C(O)R^6$;

R^9 is C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, $-N(R^a)R^b$, phenyl or het;

~~R^{10} is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{1-6} haloalkyl;~~

~~R^{11} is hydrogen, hydroxy, C_{1-3}alkoxy, $-N(R^a)R^b$, phenyl, het or C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, with the proviso that $-N=C(R^{10})(C_{0-5}$alkylene$)-R^{11}$ is not $-N=CH_2$;~~

~~R^{12} is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkenyl or C_{1-6} haloalkenyl;~~

~~R^{13} is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkenyl, C_{1-6} haloalkenyl C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, phenyl, het, $-(C_{1-6}$alkylene$)-R^{14}$, $-C(O)_pR^{15}$ or $-CON(R^{16})(C_{1-6}$alkylene$)-R^{17}$;~~

~~R^{14} is hydroxy, C_{1-3}alkoxy, C_{1-3}haloalkoxy, C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, phenyl, het or $-N(R^a)R^b$;~~

~~R^{15} is C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl or $-(C_{1-6}$alkylene$)-C_{1-3}$alkoxy;~~

~~R^{16} is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{1-6} haloalkyl;~~

~~R^{17} is hydrogen or $N(R^a)R^b$;~~

R^a and R^b independently represent hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl or C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, or R^a additionally is $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene$)-C_{3-8}$ cycloalkyl, $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene$)-$phenyl or $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene$)-$het, or together R^a and R^b form a 4- to 7- membered ring, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy and C_{1-6}haloalkoxy;

~~R^e is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene$)-C_{3-8}$ cycloalkyl, $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene$)-$phenyl or $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene$)-$het;~~

n is the integer 0, 1 or 2;

~~p is the integer 1 or 2;~~

where het represents a four- to seven-membered heterocyclic group, which is aromatic or non-aromatic and which contains one or more heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of nitrogen, oxygen, sulfur and mixtures thereof;

where both phenyl and het may be optionally substituted, where the valence allows, by one or more substituents independently selected from the group consisting of halo, hydroxy, cyano, nitro, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkenyl, C_{1-6}haloalkenyl, C_{1-6}alkoxy, C_{1-6}haloalkoxy, C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, C_{1-6} alkylcarbonyloxy, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl and NR^aR^b;

where C_{3-8}cycloalkyl may be optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkenyl, C_{1-6}haloalkenyl, hydroxy, C_{1-6}alkoxy and C_{1-6}haloalkoxy; and

where any alkylene ~~or alkenylene~~ group may be optionally substituted by one or more halo.

2. (Currently amended) [[A]] The compound according to claim 1, wherein R^1 is a phenyl group which bears chloro substituents at the 2- and 6-positions, and a substitutent at the 4-position selected from the group consisting of trifluoromethyl, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethylthio and pentafluorothio.

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Currently amended) [[A]] The compound according to claim 1, wherein R^3 is methyl, ethyl, trifluoromethyl, or 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl ~~C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, $(C_{1-3}$alkylene) $S(O)_nC_{1-6}$alkyl, $N(R^a)R^b$, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, $N(R^a)CO_2R^6$, phenyl, optionally substituted by one or more halo, or benzyl~~.

6. (Currently amended) [[A]] The compound according to claim 5, wherein R^3 is methyl.

7. (Currently amended) [[A]] The compound according to claim 1, wherein R^4 is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene)-C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, cyanomethyl, 2-hydroxyethyl, $-(C_{1-2}$alkylene)-het, $-(C_{0-3}$alkylene)-phenyl, $-(C_{0-1}$alkylene)-$S(O)_nR^9$, $-(C_{1-3}$alkylene)-O-$C(O)R^6$, $-(C_{1-3}$alkylene)-$C(O)N(R^a)R^b$ or $-CO_2R^6$.

8. (Currently amended) [[A]] The compound according to claim 7, wherein R^4 is hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, trifluoromethyl, 2,2-difluoroethyl, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl, methylsulfonyl, trifluoromethylsulfonyl, 2,2,2-trifluoroethylsulfonyl, aminosulfonyl,

N,N-dimethylaminosulfonyl, methylsulfonymethyl, cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopropylmethyl, 1-(trifluoromethyl)cyclopropylmethyl, cyanomethyl, methoxycarbonyl, triazolylethyl, pyrimidin-4-ylmethyl, 1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-ylmethyl, pyrazol-3-ylmethyl, 1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl, 5-methyl-isoaxazol-3-ylmethyl, 2-pyridin-4-ylethyl, aminocarbonylmethyl, benzyl or 4-fluorobenzyl.

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Cancelled)

11. (Currently amended) [[A]] The compound of ~~formula (I)~~ claim 1 selected from the group consisting of:

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2-difluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-3,4-difluorobenzenesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(cyclopropylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(cyanomethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(pyridin-2-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-benzylmethanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[2-(dimethylamino)ethyl]methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-~~

hydroxyethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(methylthio)methyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)cyclopropanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1-phenylmethanesulfonamide;

(*E*)-*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2-phenylethylenesulfonamide;

N-[5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-4-yl]-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-(1,1-dioxidoisothiazolidin-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrazole-3-carbonitrile;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(cyclopropylmethyl)-1,1,1-trifluoromethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-cyclobutyl-1,1,1-trifluoromethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2,2,2-trifluoroethanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2,2,2-trifluoro-N-(methylsulfonyl)ethanesulfonamide; and

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[2-(1*H*-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl)ethyl]methanesulfonamide;~~

~~5-amino-4-[bis(methylsulfonyl)amino]-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazole-3-carboxamide;~~

~~N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~N-{3-acetyl-5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(difluoromethoxy)phenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-{[1-(trifluoromethyl)cyclopropyl]methyl}methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-~~

~~(methylsulfonyl)ethanesulfonamide;~~

~~methyl 5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl(methylsulfonyl)carbamate;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-methylmethanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-fluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*^{2}-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*^{2}-(methylsulfonyl)glycinamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(1*H*-pyrazol-3-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-pyrrolidin-1-ylethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-morpholin-4-ylethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(1-methyl-1*H*-imidazol-2-yl)methyl]methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(5-methylisoxazol-3-yl)methyl]methanesulfonamide;~~

~~[{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}(methylsulfonyl)amino]methyl pivalate;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-ethylmethanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-benzylmethanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(4-fluorobenzyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

N-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-1-(methylsulfonyl)ethanesulfonamide;

N-{5-amino-1-[2-chloro-4-pentafluorothio-phenyl]-3-cyano-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

5-amino-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazinan-2-yl)-1*H*-pyrazole-3-carbonitrile;

N-{5-(benzylamino)-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-[(methylsulfonyl)(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl}-2-methoxyacetamide;

ethyl 4-[bis(methylsulfonyl)amino]-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-ylimidoformate;

N-{3-cyano-5-[(cyclopropylmethyl)amino]-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-[(methylsulfonyl)(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl}acetamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-methoxy-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;

N-[3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-5-(methylamino)-1H-pyrazol-4-yl]-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[(dimethylamino)methylene]amino}-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[2-(dimethylamino)ethyl]amino}-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-pyrrolidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-morpholin-4-ylethyl)amino]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

N-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-piperidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;

~~N-{5-amino-3-cyclopropyl-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1H-pyrazol-4-yl}-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(pyridin-4-ylmethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*tert*-butyl ({5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}amino)sulfonylcarbamate;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2-pyridin-4-ylethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(pyrazin-2-ylmethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-[(6-aminopyridin-3-yl)methyl]methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2-oxo-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)propane-1-sulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-amino}-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-[(2-piperidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}sulfamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-4-fluoro-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)benzenesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-{5-amino-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-2,4-difluoro-*N*-(methylsulfonyl)benzenesulfonamide;~~

~~methyl 3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-4-[(methylsulfonyl)(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-ylcarbamate;~~

~~*N*-{5-({[(2-aminoethyl)amino]carbonyl}amino)-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~trifluoroacetate salt of *N*-{5-[(2-azetidin-1-ylethyl)amino]-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

~~*N*-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[(2,4-~~

~~dihydroxyphenyl)methylene]amino}-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

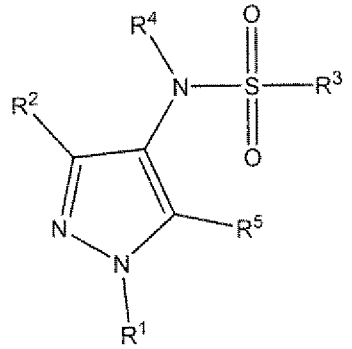
~~*N*-{5-chloro-3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl}-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)methanesulfonamide; and~~

~~N-(3-cyano-1-[2,6-dichloro-4-pentafluorothiophenyl]-5-{[3-(dimethylamino)ethyl]-amino}-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide;~~

or a pharmaceutically, veterinarily or agriculturally acceptable salt ~~or solvate~~ thereof.

12-15. (Canceled)

16. (Currently amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically, veterinarily or agriculturally acceptable salt ~~or solvate~~ thereof,



(I)

wherein:

R^1 is phenyl, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, cyano, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl,
$-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$alkyl, $-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$haloalkyl and pentafluorothio;

R^2 is cyano~~, nitro, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, C_{2-6} alkynyl, C_{2-6} haloalkynyl, $S(O)_nC_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-S(O)_nC_{1-6}$haloalkyl, (C_{0-3}alkylene) C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, optionally substituted by C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, optionally substituted by C_{1-6} alkoxy, phenyl, het, (C_{0-3}alkylene) $N(R^a)R^b$, (C_{0-3}alkylene) $C(O)NR^aR^b$ or (C_{0-3}alkylene) $N(R^c)C(O)R^6$~~;

R^3 is C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, or ~~C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, (C_{0-3}alkylene) C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, (C_{1-3}alkylene) $S(O)_nC_{1-6}$alkyl, (C_{1-3}alkylene) $S(O)_nC_{1-6}$haloalkyl, (C_{0-}~~

~~$_{3}$alkylene)-N(R^a)R^b;~~ -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-phenyl, ~~-(C_{0-3}alkylene)-het, -(C_{2-3}alkenylene)-phenyl, -(C_{2-3}alkenylene)-het, C_{1-6}-alkanoyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkanoyl or -N(R^6)CO_2R^6~~;

R^4 is hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-R^7 or -(C_{1-3}alkylene)-R^8;

~~or R^3 and R^4 taken together with the nitrogen and sulphur atoms to which they are attached form a 4 to 7 membered ring;~~

R^5 is hydrogen~~, hydroxy, halo, C_{1-6}-alkyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkyl, C_{2-6}-alkenyl, C_{2-6}-haloalkenyl, C_{1-6}-alkoxy, C_{1-6}-haloalkoxy, -N=C(R^{10})(C_{0-5}alkylene)-R^{11} or -N(R^{12})R^{13}~~;

R^6 is C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{1-6} haloalkyl;

R^7 is C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, -$S(O)_nR^9$, phenyl, het, -CO_2R^6 or C(O)N(R^a)R^b;

R^8 is hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, cyano, -N(R^a)R^b or -O-C(O)R^6 ;

R^9 is C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl or het;

~~R^{10} is hydrogen, C_{1-6}-alkyl or C_{1-6}-haloalkyl;~~

~~R^{11} is hydrogen, hydroxy, C_{1-3}alkoxy, -N(R^a)R^b, phenyl, het or C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, with the proviso that -N=C(R^{10})(C_{0-5}alkylene)-R^{11} is not -N=CH_2;~~

~~R^{12} is hydrogen, C_{1-6}-alkyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkyl, C_{1-6}-alkenyl or C_{1-6}-haloalkenyl;~~

~~R^{13} is hydrogen, C_{1-6}-alkyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkyl, C_{1-6}-alkenyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkenyl C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, phenyl, het, -(C_{1-6}alkylene)-R^{14}, -$C(O)_pR^{15}$ or -CON(R^{16})(C_{1-6}alkylene)-R^{17};~~

~~R^{14} is hydroxy, C_{1-3}alkoxy, C_{1-3}haloalkoxy, C_{3-8}cycloalkyl, phenyl, het or -N(R^a)R^b;~~

~~R^{15} is C_{1-6}-alkyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkyl or -(C_{1-6}alkylene)-C_{1-3}alkoxy;~~

~~R^{16} is hydrogen, C_{1-6}-alkyl or C_{1-6}-haloalkyl;~~

~~R^{17} is hydrogen or N(R^a)R^b;~~

R^a and R^b independently represent hydrogen, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl or C_{2-6} haloalkenyl, or R^a additionally is -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-phenyl or -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-het, or together R^a and R^b form a 4- to 7- membered ring, optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy and C_{1-6}haloalkoxy;

~~R^e is hydrogen, C_{1-6}-alkyl, C_{1-6}-haloalkyl, C_{2-6}-alkenyl, C_{2-6}-haloalkenyl, -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-C_{3-8}-cycloalkyl, -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-phenyl or -(C_{0-3}alkylene)-het;~~

n is the integer 0, 1 or 2;

~~p is the integer 1 or 2;~~

where het represents a four- to seven-membered heterocyclic group, which is aromatic or non-aromatic and which contains one or more heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of nitrogen, oxygen, sulfur and mixtures thereof;

where both phenyl and het may be optionally substituted, where the valence allows, by one or more substituents independently selected from the group consisting of halo, hydroxy, cyano, nitro, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkenyl, C_{1-6}haloalkenyl, C_{1-6}alkoxy, C_{1-6}haloalkoxy, C_{3-8} cycloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} haloalkanoyl, C_{1-6} alkylcarbonyloxy, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl and NR^aR^b;

where C_{3-8}cycloalkyl may be optionally substituted by one or more groups independently selected from the group consisting of halo, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkenyl, C_{1-6}haloalkenyl, hydroxy, C_{1-6}alkoxy and C_{1-6}haloalkoxy; and

where any alkylene ~~or alkenylene~~ group may be optionally substituted by one or more halo.

17. (Cancelled)